

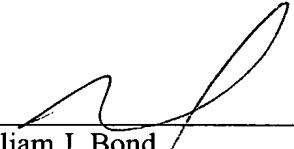
36. A method of forming a filtration media array comprising the steps of:
- (a) forming a contoured polymeric film layer;
  - (b) joining the contoured film layer to a second layer at at least one face of the contoured film layer so as to stabilize the contoured film layer and form a series of adjacent flow channels;
  - (c) layering the flow channel layer assembly so as to create a filtration media array having multiple flow channel layers forming fluid pathways through the filtration media array; and
  - (d) slicing the filtration media array with a hot wire so as to fuse the adjacent layers forming the filtration media array.

Remarks

The above amendments to claims 33 and 36 have been made correct to clarify the claimed invention.

Respectfully submitted,

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33. (Once Amended) A method of forming a filtration media array comprising the steps of:

- (a) forming a contoured polymeric film layer;
- (b) joining the contoured film layer to a second layer at at least one face of the contoured film layer so as to stabilize the contoured film layer and form flow channels; and
- (c) electrostaticly charging the flow channel layer assembly of the contoured film layer and the second layer.

36. (Once Amended) A method of forming a filtration media array comprising the steps of:

- (a) forming a contoured polymeric film layer;
- (b) joining the contoured film layer to a second layer at at least one face of the contoured film layer so as to stabilize the contoured film layer and form a series of adjacent flow channels;
- (c) layering the flow channel layer assembly so as to create a filtration media array having multiple flow channel layers forming fluid pathways through the filtration media array; and
- (d) slicing the filtration media array with a hot wire so as to fuse the adjacent layers forming the filtration media array.

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